

Building Committee of the
Masonic Temple in the City of
"Hawco Hancock County Illinois
North America

Lucius N. Scovil

Samuel Rolfe

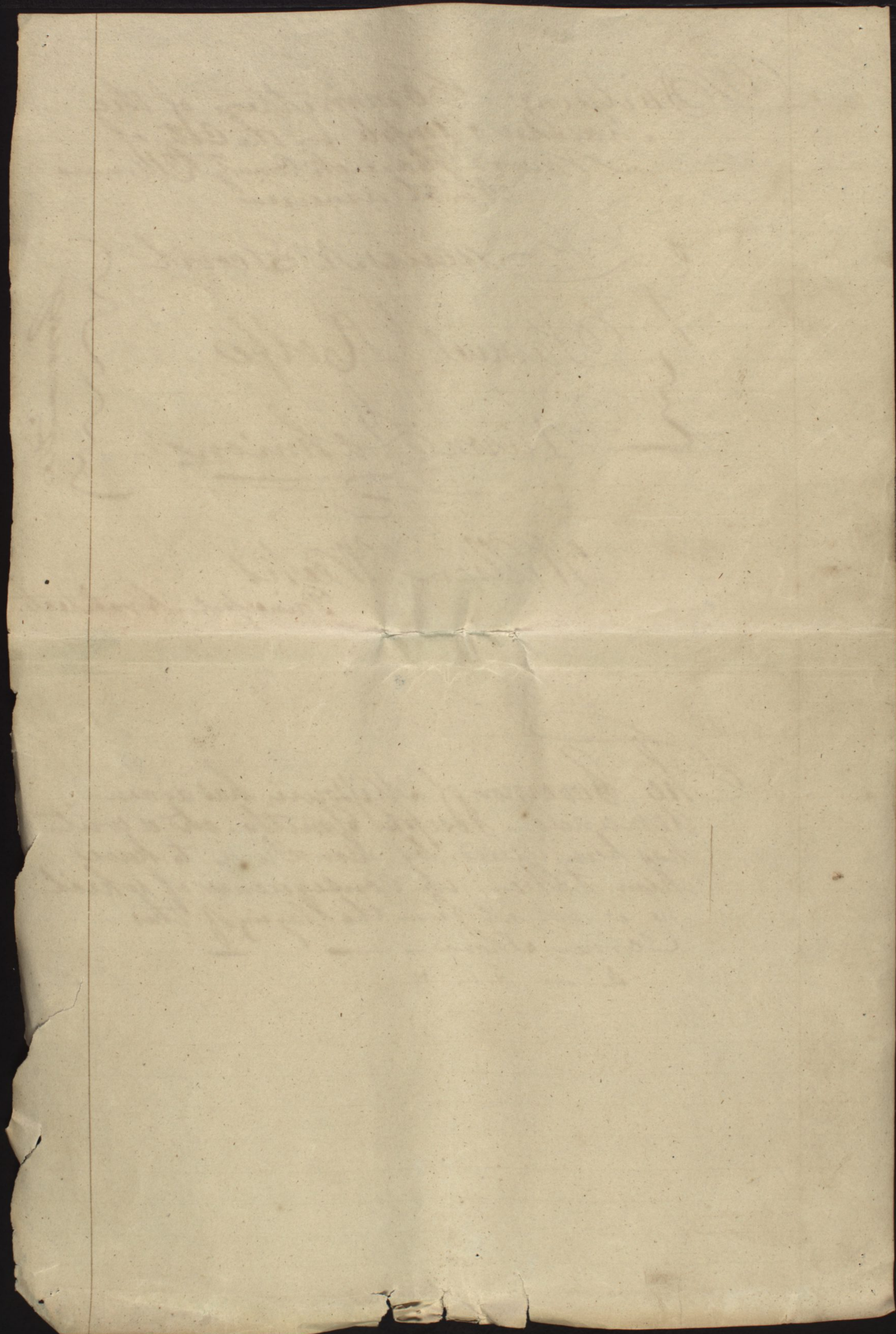
Baron Johnson

Committee

William Weeks
Principal Architect

The Governor of Missouri has again
demanded Joseph Smith, and a writ
has been issued by Gov. Ford to have
him taken in consequence of which
he is absent from the laying of this
Corner Stone — — —

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Record of Nauvoo Lodge under Dispensation.

Copy of Dispensation.

"To all who shall see these presents -


Whereas it appears to me, from the petition of sundry Brethren of Hancock County, in the State of Illinois, who are recommended and vouched to me, as worthy and fit Master Masons, by the Master, Wardens, and Brethren of Columbus Lodge, No. 6, held at Columbus in said State, that the congregating of said petitioners, and others, who they may think proper to admit into their lodge (when organized) will tend to promote the welfare and usefulness of the craft - and

Whereas lodges of masons in the recess of the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois can be formed under its jurisdiction by special dispensation only -

Therefore, I, Abraham Jonas, Grand Master of the said Grand Lodge of Illinois, do hereby, as Right Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge aforesaid, and according to the constitution of Ancient York Masons, grant this dispensation hereby authorizing and empowering our trusty and well beloved brother, George Miller, of said County of Hancock, to congregate a sufficient number of worthy brethren at some convenient place in the 'City of Nauvoo,' in said County of Hancock, and then and there, with convenient dispatch, to form and open a lodge after the manner of Ancient Masons; - and in pursuance of the petition aforesaid, I do hereby appoint our said brother, George Miller, Esq., the first Master, - John D. Parker to be the first Senior Warden, - and Lucius N. Scovil to be the first Junior Warden of the Lodge of Masons aforesaid, and to be opened and held at the said 'City of Nauvoo' as aforesaid, and to be known by the name of Nauvoo Lodge under dispensation - and I do further authorize the said Master, Wardens, and such Brethren as they may admit as members of said lodge, in their said lodge, when duly formed and opened, to enter, pass, and raise to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason, all such as may be, by all

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the members of said lodge, deemed worthy, according to ancient custom, and not otherwise, with the intent and view that the brethren who may be so congregated, entered, passed, and raised may in due time, be duly warranted for being and holding a regular lodge, for the further promoting the craft and increasing the number of Worthy Brethren - provided, however, that this Dispensation do continue and be in force, until the next annual session (1st Monday in October 5842) of the Grand Lodge aforesaid, and no longer.

Given under my hand and private seal, at Columbus, in the State of Illinois, on this 15th day of October, A.D. 5841, and A. 1841.

Abraham Jonas, 
G. M. G. L. of Illinois."

A true copy.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

December 29th, A.D. 5841, A. 1841.

George Miller, Esq., Master of Nauvoo Lodge under Dispensation, congregated the following brethren at the office of brother Hiram Smith; to wit: George Miller, Hiram Smith, William Barnard-dale, Joshua Smith, N. W. Whitney, William Feltman, Austin Cowles, S. N. Scovil, Charles Allen, John Smith, Lyman Leonard, Hiram Clarke, Samuel Rolfe, David Pettegren, Christopher Williams, John Patten, John C. Bennett, and Heber C. Kimball.

The dispensation from Grand Master Jonas, dated 15th Oct. 5841, & 1841, was accepted. Brother Hiram Smith was elected Senior Warden pro tempore; John C. Bennett, Secretary; N. W. Whitney, Treasurer; Charles Allen, Senior Deacon; Heber C. Kimball, Junior Deacon; William Feltman, & Hiram Clarke, Stewards; and Samuel Rolfe, Tyler.

John C. Bennett, W. C. Kimball, & George Miller, were appointed a committee to draft, & report a code of by-laws for the government of this lodge. The lodge, which was not opened in due form, then adjourned to meet again on the 30th Inst., at 6 o'clock, P.M., at the same place.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

December 30th, A.D. 5841, D. 1841.

The lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - George Miller, Montignifus Master; Wm. Smith, S.M., p.t.; L. N. Scott, J.M.; John C. Bennett, cl.; Charles Allen, S.D.; W. C. Kimball, y.D.; Wm. Felsham & Hiram Clark, S.; J. Roffe, J.; and Wm. Barnard-dale, Joshua Smith, John Smith, Lyman Leonard, C. Williams, John Patten, Noah Rogers, Samuel Henderson, Elijah Fordham, & Abner Perry, Members. John Smith was appointed Treasurer pro tempore, and the lodge was opened in due form in the Entered Apprentices' Degree. The Committee on By-Laws then reported the following code, which was unanimously adopted; to wit:

"By-Laws of Nauvoo Lodge, under designation.
Meetings.

Sec. 1. The stated meetings of this lodge shall be on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of every month, commencing at 6 o'clock, P.M.; Provided, that the first stated meeting shall be on Thursday, the 30th day of Dec., A.D. 5841, - D. 1841.

Duty of Officers.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of the Master to preside, preserve order, and cause the by-laws of this lodge, and the usages of masonry, to be duly observed; to call emergent meetings when necessary; to take the voice of the lodge on all questions brought before it; and to perform such other duties as pertain to his office.

Sec. 3. The Senior and Junior Wardens, Secretary, Treasurer, Senior and Junior Deacons, Stewards, and Tyler, shall severally perform such duties as appertain to their respective stations by the usages of Ancient York Masonry.

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Of the Members.

Sec. 4. A member wishing to speak shall rise, and address the presiding officer.

Sec. 5. No one shall speak more than twice on the same subject, unless to explain, without permission from the lodge.

Sec. 6. While the presiding officer, or any member, is addressing the lodge, or a member the presiding officer, no one shall leave his seat, or hold private discourse.

Sec. 7. Disorderly conduct shall be punished by admonition, suspension, or expulsion, as the case may require: Provided, however, that no one shall be expelled without the concurrence of two-thirds of all the members of the lodge.

Sec. 8. Should any member disclose to any person other than Ancient York Masons, in good standing, any of the proceedings or transactions of this lodge, improper to be made public, he shall be suspended, expelled, or otherwise dealt with, at the discretion of the lodge, ~~and should a visiting brother be guilty of a like offence, he shall be forever interdicted visiting this lodge.~~

Order of Business.

Sec. 9. Reading the minutes of the preceding meeting shall always be first in order; presentation of petitions next; reports of committees next; balloting for members, and the initiating, passing, and raising, shall follow; after which any miscellaneous business.

Initiations, etc.

Sec. 10. Every person desirous of being initiated into this lodge, must prefer a petition in writing, stating his age, profession, trade, or occupation, and place of residence, which must contain a deposit of five dollars, as a fee for initiation, and be recommended by two master masons, one of whom must be a member of this lodge.

Sec. 11. If the petition be received it shall be referred to the standing committee of

investigation, to report thereon at the next stated meeting.

Sec. 12. If the applicant be rejected, the member who handed in his petition shall return him his deposit with delicacy and politeness, and no member shall make known the fact of such rejection to any person other than the rejected, or the members of this lodge, or other masons, unless the person rejected should himself first make it public.

Sec. 13. Every brother desirous of being advanced in masonry, must undergo an examination in open lodge, touching his skill in the degree, or degrees, already taken; or be vouched for by a master mason.

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Fees.

Sec. 14. The fees of this lodge shall be as follows; to wit: for initiating, five dollars - passing, three dollars - raising, seven dollars - and the reception of members not made in this lodge, two dollars: to be recovered from all persons hereafter received.

Voting.

Sec. 15. No candidate shall be initiated without the unanimous consent of the lodge.

Sec. 16. In electing officers, a majority of all the votes given shall be necessary to make a choice.

Sec. 17. Members can only be excused from voting by the lodge.

Committees.

Sec. 18. All committees shall be appointed by the presiding officer, unless in particular cases the lodge should direct otherwise.

Sec. 19. The following standing committees shall be established; to wit:

A Committee of Investigation, to consist of three members, to inquire into the character of all applicants.

A Committee of Claims, to consist of three members, to whom shall be referred all matters of claims against the lodge.

A Committee of Ways and Means, to consist of three members, to whom shall be referred all subjects of

taxation and revenue;—and

A Committee of Charity, to consist of the Master, and Wardens, to whom shall be referred all matters and applications requiring charitable appropriations.

Dues.

Sec. 20. Each member of this lodge shall pay the sum of fifty cents as quarterly dues.

Fines.

Sec. 21. For non attendance at any stated meeting, the delinquent member shall be fined twenty-five cents, unless an excuse, satisfactory to the lodge, be presented at the succeeding stated meeting.

Charity Fund.

Sec. 22. One half of the fees for initiations, passings, and raisings, after defraying expenses, shall be appropriated to the charity fund.

Form of Petition and Recommendation.

To Nauvoo Lodge, No. _____;

Master, Wardens, and Brethren:—

The Subscriber, residing in _____, _____ years of age, and by _____ a _____, begs leave to state that he is desirous of becoming a member of your body, and freely offers himself as a candidate for the same. Should his petition be granted he will cheerfully conform to all the established usages and customs of the order.

A _____ B _____.

This may certify, that we, the subscribers, are personally acquainted with Mr. A _____ B _____, and from a confidence in his integrity, and the uprightness of his intentions, do cheerfully recommend and propose him as a proper candidate for the privileges, and benefits, of Ancient York Masonry.

C _____ D _____,

E _____ F _____.

Amendments.

Sec. 23. These by-laws may be amended at any time by a vote of two-thirds of the members of the lodge—

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by giving one month's previous notice, at a stated meeting.

Heber C. Kimball, John C. Bennett, and N. P. Whitney, were appointed the standing committee of investigation.

Hyrum Smith, L. N. Scovil, and Charles Allen, were appointed the standing committee of claims; and

Elijah Fordham, Samuel Rolfe, and Lyman Leonard, were appointed the standing committee of Ways and Means.

The following members then reported themselves to hail from the lodges appended to their names respectively; to wit: George Miller, Widow's Son, No. 60, Va.; Hyrum Smith, Mount Moriah, No. 113, N. Y.; Wm. Warrandall, Gallia, O.; Joshua Smith, Center Star, O.; L. N. Scovil, Morning Star, No. 83, O.; Charles Allen, Nova Cesarea Harmony, No. 2, O.; John Smith, Harmony, N. Y.; Lyman Leonard, Binghamton, N. Y.; Hiram Clark, Queen of Sheba, N. Y.; Samuel Rolfe, Blazing Star, Me.; Christopher Williams, Fort George, N. C.; John Patten, Friendship, No. 123, N. Y.; John C. Bennett, Friendship, No. 89, O.; H. C. Kimball, Victor, No. 303, N. Y.; Noah Rogers, Morning Star, No. 83, O.; Elijah Fordham, Hiram, No. 10, N. Y.; Samuel Henderson Tyro, No. 12, Mo.; and Asahel Perry, Augusta, N. Y.

The following named persons preferred petitions for ^{initiation} membership, to wit: Joseph Smith, aged 36, merchant; Willard Richards, aged 37, merchant; Brigham Young, aged 30, painter; John Sigler, aged 40, brick-layer; Peter Haws, aged 36, farmer; Lyman Wright, aged 36, farmer; Amasa Lyman, aged 38, cutter; all of Nauvoo; J. B. Backenstos, aged 30, merchant, of Carthage; Sidney Rigdon, aged 38, Attorney at Law; Milford Woodsruff, aged 38, Shop-keeper; John Taylor aged , minister; all of Nauvoo; Asahel A. Lathrop, aged 31, farmer; Daniel C. Davis, aged 38, farmer; Wm. F. Calhoun, aged 37, carpenter; Henry Brown, aged 38, farmer; Isaac Williams, aged 43, farmer; James Newburg, aged 51, farmer; all of Laramie; Ephraim R. Marks, aged 35, student; Joel C. Miles, aged 36, student; Theodore Surley, aged 41, gun-smith; Joseph M. Johnson, aged 36, mason; Joseph B. Noble, aged 31, farmer; all of Nauvoo; Chauncey Robison, aged 35, recorder & post-master; J. C. Davis, aged 34, clerk of the circuit court, both of Carthage; Francis J. Bishop, aged 31, silversmith; F. H. Moeser, aged 36, grocer; D. B. Huntington, aged 33, city marshal; Simon Carter, aged 48, farmer; Jared Carter, aged 42, shoe-maker; A. Ryley, aged 43, city surgeon; C. Knight, aged 37, bishop; M. D. Huntington, aged , constable; Willard Lane,

Orson Pratt, aged 30, professor;
aged , farmer; Elias Higber, aged , overseer; R. Cahoone, aged
, overseer; Charles C. Rich, aged 31, cooper; J. A. Smith,
aged 28, minister; Aaron Johnson, aged 35, carpenter;
William Clayton, aged 27, clerk; Gustavus Hill, aged
38, watch-maker; Isaac Morley, aged 55, cooper; all
of Nauvoo; all of whom were duly vouched for - which
petitions were severally referred to the standing Com-
mittee of Investigation.

Resolved, That Grand Master Jonas be requested to
attend at the installation, together with such friends
as he may wish to invite, at the expense of the Lodge.

The Lodge then closed in due form, to stand
closed until the next special communication
to take place on Monday evening next, January
2nd, A. L. 5883, D. 1842, at 6 o'clock, P. M.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

January 2nd, A. L. 5882, D. 1842.

The Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present -
George Miller, M. M.; Hyrum Smith, S. M.; L. N. Scovil, J. M.; John
C. Bennett, S.; N. W. Whitney, S.; Charles Allen, S. D.; Heber
C. Kimball, J. D.; Mrs. Felskhan, & Hiram Clark, S.;
Samuel Rogers, S.; and Joshua Smith, Lyman Leonard,
David Pettigrew, Christopher Williams, John Patton,
Noah Rogers, Elijah Fordham, Samuel Henderson,
Asahel Perry, Daniel S. Miles, & Hephiah Peck, Members;
and Mark Aldrich, of Warsaw, from Detroit, No 1, Michigan,
visiting brother. The following members then reported
themselves to hail from the Lodges appended to
their names respectively; to wit: N. W. Whitney, Meri-
dian Orb, No. 10, O; Mrs. Felskhan, Hoosack, N. Y.; David
Pettigrew, Nova Gerarea Harmony, No. 2, O.; Daniel S.
Miles, Morning Dawn, Ct.; Hephiah Peck, Friendship,
No. 123, N. Y. An Entered Apprentices' Lodge was then
opened in due form, and the minutes of the
preceding meeting read. No further business appearing
in this degree, a fellow crafts' and Master Masons' Lodge

were successively opened. Abiel Perry delivered a lecture on masonry, at the request of the Master & brethren. No further business appearing the lodge closed on the Master's degree.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

January 6th, A. L. 5882, A. 1842.

The lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - Hiram Smith, S. M.; L. N. Scovil, J. M.; John C. Bennett, S.; Charles Allen, S. D.; W. C. Kimball, J. D.; Wm. Felsman, S.; Hiram Clark, S.; Samuel Rolfe, S.; an Squan Leonard, Noah Rogers, Elijah Fordham, Samuel Henderson, Abiel Perry, Herkiah Peck, & John C. Mikkel, Members. The S. M. called Abiel Perry to the chair to act as Master pro tempore, and Herkiah Peck to act as Treasurer pro tempore. An Entered Apprentices' Lodge was then opened in due form. John C. Mikkel reported himself to hail from Blaring Star, No. 3, Ia. Benjamin Brown, from Forest, N. Y., was then received as a member of this lodge, and paid his fees of two dollars. The Committee of Ways and Means were directed to act in conjunction with the Steward in procuring seats, altar, and desks, for this lodge. No further business appearing the lodge closed on the first degree.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

January 20th, A. L. 5882, A. 1842.

Stated meeting. Present - Hiram Smith, S. M.; L. N. Scovil, J. M.; John C. Bennett, S.; Charles Allen, S. D.; W. C. Kimball, J. D.; Wm. Felsman, S.; Samuel Rolfe, S.; and Joshua Smith, S. Cowles, Noah Rogers, Elijah Fordham, Samuel Henderson, Abiel Perry, Herkiah Peck, John A. Mikkel, Members. Abiel Perry was called to the chair, Herkiah Peck, appointed Treasurer, and Joshua Smith, S. P. S. Austin Cowles reported himself to hail from Friendship 372, N. Y. Josiah Arnold was admitted a member. The lodge opened in due form, & adjourned.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

February 3rd, A. L. 5842, D. 1842.

Stated meeting. Present - Hiram Smith, A. M.; L. N. Seville, J. M.; John C. Bennett, C.; Charles Allen, A. D.; W. C. Kimball, J. D.; Mr. Feldman, & Hiram Clark, C.; Samuel Polge, J.; and Joshua Smith, A. Cowles, Lyman Leonard, David Pettegrew, Christopher Williams, Noah Rodgers, Elijah Fordham, Samuel Henderson, Sarah Perry, Herkimer Peck, Benjamin Brown, & Josiah Arnold, Members. Sarah Perry was called to the chair, and Herkimer Peck appointed J. pro tem. The lodge was then opened in due form, and the minutes of the preceding meeting read. Petitions were then presented from the following persons for the honors of masonry; to wit: Calvin A. Warren, of Quincy, aged 33, Attorney at Law; George P. Stiles, of Carthage, aged 34, Attorney at Law; Warren Smith, L. E. Johnson, A. Morrison, aged 31, Blacksmith; L. E. Johnson, aged 30, Attorney at Law; A. Morrison, aged 38, Merchant; John C. Higbee, aged 38, farmer; Stephen St. John, aged 32, carpenter; Lorenzo D. Mason, aged 22, Student; John A. Forges, aged 33, clerk; residents of Nauvoo; all of whom were duly vouched for. The Committee of Investigation then reported favorably on the following persons; to wit: Joseph Smith, Willard Richards, Brigham Young, John Snider, Peter Hans, Lyman Wright, Anasa Lyman, J. B. Backenstos, Sidney Rigdon, Milford Woodruff, John Taylor, Sarah A. Lathrop, Daniel C. Davis, Mr. F. Cahoon, Henry Brown, Isaac Williams, James Newbury, Ephraim R. Marks, Joel A. Miles, Theodore Furley, Joseph M. Johnson, Joseph B. Noble, Chauncey Robinson, J. C. Davis, Francis G. Birkhop, F. H. Moeser, D. B. Huntington, Simon Carter, Jared Carter, A. Ripley, C. Wright, M. D. Huntington, Wilson Barr, Elias Higbee, R. Cahoon, Charles C. Rich, J. A. Smith, Aaron Johnson, William Clayton, Gustavus Hills, and Isaac Morley, all of whom were balloted for, and the ballot found clear. The lodge then closed in due form.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

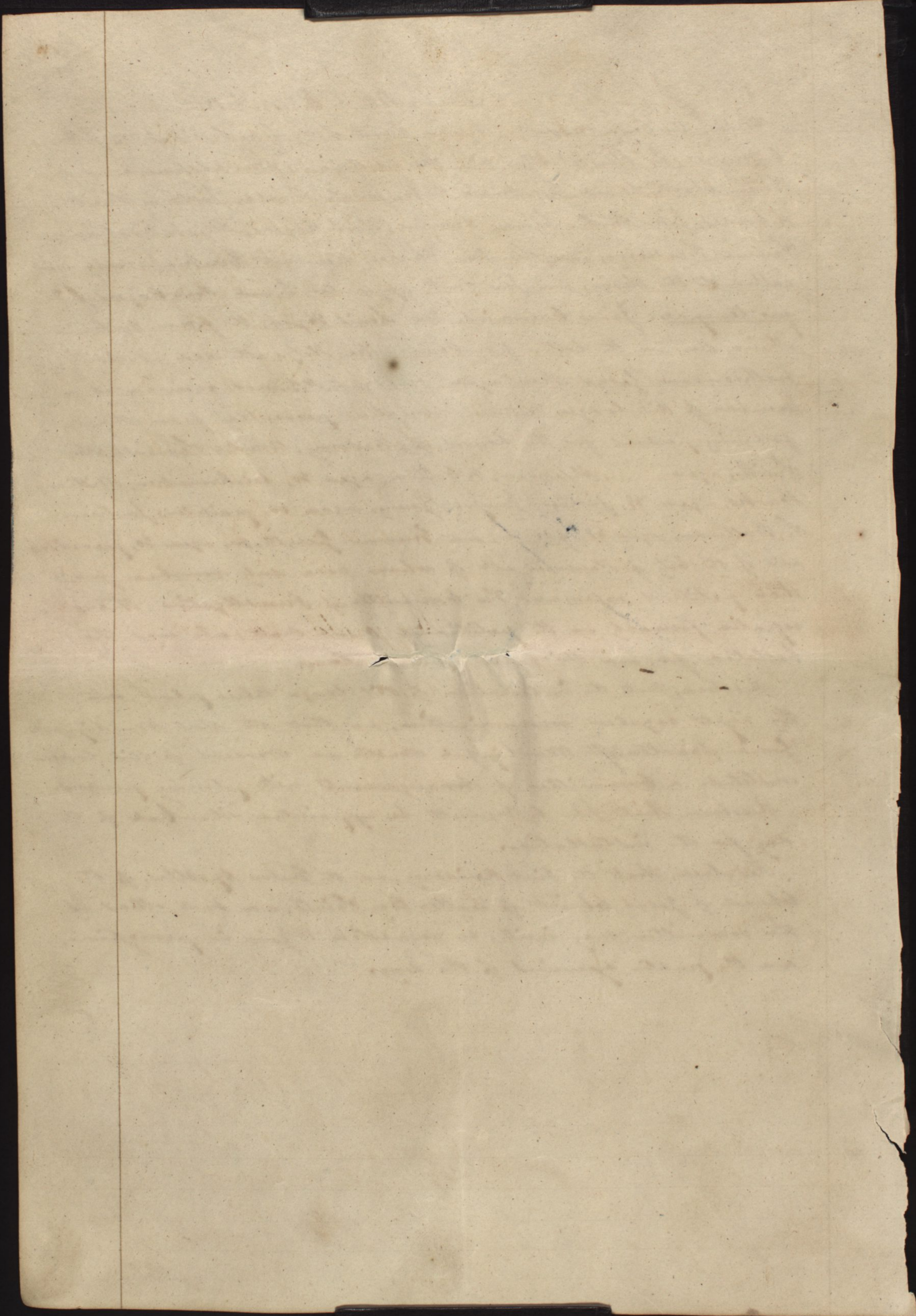
February 17th, A. D. 5842, L. 1842.

Stated Meeting. Present - Hiram Smith, J. M.; L. N. Scovil, J. M.; John C. Bennett, S.; Charles Allen, S. D.; Samuel Rolfe, J.; Wm. Feltman, and Hiram Clark, S.; and Heretiah Peck, Josiah Arnold, Joshua Smith, A. Bowles, John Smith, Lyman Leonard, Noah Rogers, Elijah Fordham, Samuel Henderson, and Stephen Chase, Members. Heretiah Peck was called to the chair, and John Smith appointed J. and Noah Rogers, J. D. pro tempore. James Cummings, and Lewis Hyde, the former from Maine, Me.; and the latter from Pembroke, N. Y.; attended as visiting brethren; and George Montague, Frankfort, N. Y., was received as a member of this lodge. Petitions were then presented from the following persons for the honors of Masonry; to wit: Samuel H. Smith, aged , Alderman; R. Colton, aged 20, brick-maker; William Marks, aged 49, farmer; Joseph Young, aged 46, painter; Joshua S. Hollman, aged 47, farmer; and Truman Gillett, Jr., aged 20, preacher; all of the city of Nauvoo - all of whom were duly vouched for, & their petitions referred. The Committee of Investigation then reported favorably on the petition of Orson Pratt, who was then balloted for, and the ballot found clear.

Resolved, That the installation of this lodge takes place at the next regular communication, and that the Most Worshipful Grand Master, the Most Worshipful Master and Wardens of this lodge constitute a Committee of Arrangements with plenary powers.

Resolved, That John C. Bennett be appointed Marshal of the day for the installation.

Resolved, That the First Presidency, and the Twelve Apostles, of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, and such others as the committee may invite, be requested to join in procession, and the public exercises of the day.



Tuesday, March 15th, A. S. 5842, D. 1842,

9 o'clock, A. M.

Special communication, by order of Grand Master Jona. Lodge met pursuant to previous notice. Present - W. M. A. Jona, J. M. of the J. L. of Illinois; M. D. McCarver, D. J. S.; Abner Perry, W. M., p. t.; Hyrum Smith, S. M.; L. N. Scovel, J. M.; N. H. Whitney, S.; John C. Bennett, S.; Charles Allen, S. S.; Heber C. Kimball, J. S.; S. Rolfe, S.; Wm. Felschaw, and Hiram Clark, S.; Herkimer Peck, Jona. Arnold, Joshua Smith, Lyman Leonard, David Pettigrew, Christopher Williams, John Patten, Noah Rogers, Elijah Fordham, Samuel Henderson, Benjamin Brown, Stephen Chase, George Montague, Noble Rogers, and Daniel S. Miles, Members; and L. C. Adams, Franklin, 22, 2d.; M. Plumb, Franklin, 22, 2d.; Henry King, Elvan, 228, N. Y.; A. C. Graves, Harmony, 11, Ia.; J. Rose, St. Johns, 21, N. Y.; A. Lambert, Sciota, 28, S.; J. Heberling, La Fayette, Pa.; D. Hibbard, New England, 4, O.; James Cummings, Maine, Me.; C. Jennings, Mt. Moriah, N. Y.; Samuel Miles, Rainbow, Vt.; Thomas C. King, Bodley, 1, 2d.; Caleb Baldwin, Concord, O.; S. Comer, Urbanna, O.; J. L. Evans, Urbanna, O.; visiting brethren. The W. M. Grand Master presided, and opened the lodge in due form, in the 2nd degree of masonry. He, likewise, organized, and opened a grand lodge according to ancient usage, in the 2nd degree. The grand and subordinate lodges then called off from labor to refreshment, until 1 o'clock, P. M.

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The lodges called to labor. Present as before. The grand master then directed the grand marshal, John C. Bennett, to form a procession according to ancient usage, in order to proceed to the grove, near the temple, for installation, which was accordingly done. At the grove, after the ceremonies of installation, the grand master delivered a highly creditable and finished address on the subject of Ancient Free Masonry, after which the lodges returned to the lodge room in masonic order. The grand lodge then closed in due form, without day. The subordinate lodges then adopted the by-laws which they had informally prepared on the 30th of December, as amended at the suggestion of the grand master. On motion, the lodges

requested a copy of the address of the Grand Master for publication - carried unanimously, and a copy promised. The Lodge then closed to meet again at early candle lighting.

7 o'clock, P.M.

Lodge met pursuant to adjournment, and opened in the 1st degree of masonry. Present as before. A special dispensation from the Grand Master was then presented in the words following; to wit:

"City of Nauvoo, March 15 - 5842.

Know all ye brethren to whom come there presents - That I, Abraham Jonas, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois - in virtue of the power and authority in me vested as Grand Master aforesaid do hereby, by these letters of Dispensation, authorize the Brethren of Nauvoo Lodge under dispensation, to receive the petitions of Joseph Smith, and Sidney Rigdon - and act on the same instantly - and should the ballot be unanimous in favor of said Smith and Rigdon at a full meeting of said Nauvoo Lodge - then in that case - the said Lodge is authorized to confer the three several degrees of Ancient York Masonry on the said Joseph Smith and Sidney Rigdon - as speedily as the nature of the case will admit - Provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be deemed as authority by the said Nauvoo Lodge for violating any of the ancient land marks of the order, or of acting contrary to the provisions of their By-Laws - except in the cases herein authorized -
Given under my hand - as Grand Master,
the day and date above named -

A. Jonas, G. M. F. L. Ill."

Petitions were then presented from Joseph Smith, and Sidney Rigdon, the persons above named, and on motion the Lodge proceeded to the ballot in each case separately, in order of record - the ballot was found clear, and they were duly initiated - Entered Apprentice Masons. The Lodge was then

closed, to stand closed until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

John C. Bennett, Secretary.

Wednesday, March 16th, A.D. 5842, A. 1842.

8 o'clock, A.M.

Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - Mr. A. Jonas, G. M. presiding; Mr. D. Mc. Carr, D. G. C.; W. Smith, S. M.; L. N. Scovil, J. M.; J. C. Bennett, S.; N. B. Whitney, J.; C. Allen, S. D.; W. C. Kimball, J. D.; Lyman Leonard, J. p. t.; M. Feldham, J. W. Clark, S.; W. Peck, J. Arnold, Joshua Smith, A. Bowles, S. Pettigrew, S. Rolfe, J. Patten, Noah Rogers, E. Fordham, S. Henderson, A. Chase, Noble Rogers, Ormond Butler, Members; J. Smith & S. Rigdon, E. A. Marais, - and L. B. Adams, M. Plum, W. King, A. C. Graves, J. Rose, A. Lambert, D. Hibbard, J. C. Miles, visiting brethren. In E. A. Lodge was then opened in due form, and the minutes of the preceding meeting meeting read. No further business appearing in this degree, the E. A. were requested to withdraw, and a F. C. Lodge was then opened. Joziah Smith, and Sidney Rigdon, signified their desire to be advanced in masonry, and their proficiency in the preceding degree was pouched for - after which they were balloted for, the ballot found clear, and they duly received and grasped to the degree of F. C. Masters. The Lodge then called off until 2 o'clock, P.M.

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Lodge called to labor. Present as before. A Master's Lodge was then opened, and Joziah Smith applied for the third and sublime degree of M. M. - the ballot was found clear, and he was duly raised to said degree, and signed the By-Laws. Lodge called off until 8 o'clock, P.M.

8 o'clock, P.M.

Lodge called to labor. Present as before. Sidney Rigdon applied for the sublime degree of Master Mason - the ballot was found clear, and he was accordingly raised. The S. M. was then called to the chair, and the following resolutions unanimously adopted; to wit:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Lodge be

presented to J. M. Jones, & D. J. S. McCarver, for their attendance with us, and the instructions given in the various degrees of masonry.

Resolved, that they be requested to visit the Lodges whenever their circumstances will permit, at the expense of the Lodges.

Resolved, that J. M. Jones be requested to deliver an oration on masonry, in this city, on the 28th of June next; but, if not possible so to do, to give the Lodges timely notice.

Resolved, that Columbus Lodge, No. 6, & Bodley Lodge, No. 1, be requested to meet with Nauvoo Lodge on the 28th of June - and that all brethren in the vicinity be solicited to participate.

J. M. Jones, & D. J. S. McCarver, then made very neat speeches, expressing of their entire satisfaction with the proceedings of this Lodge, and the kind treatment they had received at the hands of our citizens generally. The Lodge then closed, in great cordiality of feelings, to stand closed until to-morrow evening.

John C. Bennett, Secretary.

Thursday, March 17th, A. L. 5892, A. D. 1892.

Regular communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - C. Allen, M. M. p. t.; Noah Rogers, S. M. p. t.; L. N. Scovil, J. M.; J. C. Bennett, S.; N. H. Whitney, S.; H. Clark, & W. Felsman, S.; L. Leonard, S. p. t.; Samuel Rolfe, S. D. p. t.; John Smith, J. D. p. t.; and H. C. Kimball, Josiah Arnold, John Patten, Elijah Fordham, Samuel Henderson, Stephen Chase, & George Montague, members.

Petitions were presented from Willard Richards, Brigham Young, John Shider, Peter Haws, Amasa Lyman, J. B. Backenstos, Daniel C. Davis, James H. Rollins, L. Micht, Wm. F. Cahoon, James Newburg, Theodemus Gurley, Chauncey Robinson, F. H. Maeser, D. B. Huntington, John Bills, W. D. Huntington, B. Knight, Wilson Law, Elias Higbee, R. Cahoon, Aaron Johnson, C. C. Rice, William Clayton,

^{E. D. Woolley,} Justours Hills, ^{Mr. Smith,} L. D. Wapron, ^{Samuel H. Smith,} Samuel H. Smith, ^{Lynard E. Brown,} Duncan
McArthur, Lincoln A. Dunn, Warren Smith, S. B. Stoddard,
William Marks, Jacob C. Davis, A. Morrison, C. Cole, George M.
Robinson, ^{J. M. Stiles} and D. S. Hollister, for the honors of masonry, and referred
to the appropriate committee. J. Rose, D. Hibbard, ^{James Cummings,} and Samuel
Miles, applied for membership in this lodge, and their appli-
cations were laid over for consideration. The Lodge then closed
in due form.

John C. Bennett, Secretary.

Charles Allen
Master P. T.

Thursday, April 7th, A. D. 5882, A. 1842.

Regular communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjourn-
ment. Present - Arabel Perry, M. M. J. T.; H. Smith, S. M.; L. N. Scovil,
J. M.; J. C. Bennett, S.; N. H. Whitney, S.; C. Allen, S. D.; W. C. Kimball,
J. D.; S. Rolfe, S.; M. Feldman, S. H. Clark, S.; H. Beck, Joshua
Smith, L. Leonard, D. Pettigrew, N. Rogers, D. S. Miles, S. Chase,
J. Montague, Joseph Smith, and Sidney Rigdon, members - and
Ozlerster Kuteh, of Western Phoenix, S., J. Rose, D. Hibbard, J. James
Cummings, visiting brethren. The E. A. Lodge was then opened
in due form, and the minutes of the preceding meeting read,
^{John Taylor, Wilma Woodruff, John C. Page, J. Henry Miller, J. Anderson,}
amended, and adopted. Petitions were then received from
^{Benjamin Carey,} Jared Carter, ^{A. Ripley,} R. D. Foster, ^{J. B. Richards,} John Eagle, ^{Thomas Grover,}
C. Benson, ^{John Taylor,} John Pack, ^{John H. Miles,} Hiram Kimball, John
Murdock, ^{John A. Foye,} A. P. Rockwood, ^{David H. Rockwell,} John P. Green, for the honors of
masonry, and referred to the appropriate committee. The
Committee of Investigation then reported favorably on the petitions
of Mr. Richards, B. Young, J. Snider, P. Haras, A. Lyman, J. B.
Backenstas, D. C. Davis, W. F. Cahoon, J. Newbury, T. Gurley,
C. Robinson, J. H. Moeser, D. B. Huntington, J. Bills, M. D.
Huntington, V. Knight, Wilson Law, C. Higbee, R. Cahoon,
Aaron Johnson, C. C. Rich, M. Clayton, Justours Hills, L. D.
Wapron, S. H. Smith, D. McArthur, L. A. Dunn, Warren
Smith, S. B. Stoddard, Mr. Marks, J. C. Davis, A. Morrison,
C. Cole, Geo. M. Stiles, G. M. Robinson, D. S. Hollister, E. D.
Woolley, ^{Lynard E. Brown,} and Mr. Smith, who were thereupon severally balloted
for and the ballot found clear. J. Rose, D. Hibbard,
James Cummings, J. Samuel Miles, warons, were then balloted
for for membership, the ballot found clear, and they
thereupon received. H. J. Sperrwood signed to by loud.

Willard Richards, Brigham Young, & D. V. Hollister, were then initiated into the first degree of masonry. No further business appearing in this degree, the lodge closed to stand closed until to morrow evening at 6 o'clock.

Asahel Perry

John C. Bennett, Secretary. Master Protom

Friday, April 8th, A.L. 5882, A. 1842.

Special Meeting. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - H. Smith, M.M. p. t.; Noar Rogers, V. M. p. t.; L. N. Scovil, J. M.; J. C. Bennett, V.; N. H. Whitney, J.; C. Allen, A. D.; H. C. Kimball, J. D.; Samuel Rolfe, J.; W. Felham, & H. Clark, V.; Asahel Perry, Joshua Smith, L. Leonard, D. Pettigrew, S. Chares, George Montague, & H. J. Sherwood, members. An O. A. Lodge was then opened, the minutes of the preceding meeting read, and F. H. Mooser, A. Lyman, & T. Turley, were then initiated into the first degree of masonry. No further business appearing in this degree, a F. C. Lodge was opened in due form and Willard Richards, Brigham Young, & D. V. Hollister, were admitted Fellow Craft Masons. Ordered that the lodge meet from day to day until the press of business is disposed of, & that the officers be entitled to a reasonable compensation for their services. No further business appearing in this degree the lodge closed down, to stand closed until to morrow evening at 6 o'clock, P. M.

H. Smith
Master P. T.

John C. Bennett, Secretary.

Saturday, April 9th, A.L. 5882, A. 1842.

Special communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - A. Perry, M.M. p. t.; Hyrum Smith, V. M.; L. N. Scovil, J. M.; J. C. Bennett, V.; N. H. Whitney, J.; C. Allen, A. D.; H. C. Kimball, J. D.; S. Rolfe, J.; W. Felham, & H. Clark, V.; H. Peck, J. Arnold, Joshua Smith, A. Cowles, L. Leonard, S. Chares, J. Montague, Joseph Smith, J. Rows,

D. Hibbard, J. H. G. Sherwood, members; and C. Baldwin, &
A. Hulit, visiting brethren; and W. Richards, B. Young,
D. S. Hollister, fellow-crafts; and J. Turley, F. H. Moeser, &
A. Lyman, C. A. Marous. A. E. A. Lodge was then opened
in due form, the minutes of the preceding meeting read,
and adopted, and C. H. Smith, Wm. Smith, & B. Wright,
admitted to the first degree of masonry. A. E. A. Lodge
was then opened, & no business appearing, a Master's Lodge
was opened in due form - and D. S. Hollister, B. Young,
& W. Richards admitted to the sublime degree of
Master Mason, & signed the by-laws. No further busi-
ness appearing the several lodges closed down in due
form, to stand closed until Monday next, at 9 o'clock,
A. M. -

Asahel Perry

John C. Bennett, Secretary.

Master Protem

Monday, April 11th, A. D. 1882, A. M. 1882 - 8 o'clock A. M.

Special meeting. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment.
Present - H. Smith, W. M. p. t., H. G. Sherwood, J. M. p. t., L. N.
Scovil, J. M.; J. C. Bennett, s.; N. N. Whitney, J.; C. Allen, s. d.; Wm.
Selman, J. D. p. t.; Lewis Hyslop, visiting brother; and B. Wright,
A. Lyman, J. Turley, & F. H. Moeser, C. A. Marous. An E. A.
Lodge was then opened for the transaction of business, &
John Bills, W. D. Huntington, & L. B. Huntington, having been
previously balloted for, were duly initiated into the
first degree of masonry. Lodge called off until 1 o'clock
P. M. - 1 o'clock, P. M. Lodge called to labor.

No further business appearing in this degree, the lodge
closed, & opened in the second degree of masonry,
and F. H. Moeser, A. Lyman, & J. Turley, were passed to the
degree of Fellow Craft. No further business appearing in
this degree the lodge closed, to stand closed until
to morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

John C. Bennett, Secretary.

H. Smith
Master P. T.

Tuesday, April 12th, A. L. 5882, A. 1882.

9 o'clock, A. M.

Special communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - H. Smith, M. M. p. t.; A. Perry, V. M. p. t.; L. N. Scovil, J. M.; ^{J. B. Demmitt, J.} H. Clark, J. p. t.; ^{H. C. Kimball,} C. Allen, S. D.; Mr. Folsom, J. D.; ^{p. t.} S. Rolfe, J.; S. Chase, ^{p. t.} H. J. Sherwood, members; A. Lyman, F. C. Maron; and B. Knight, S. H. Smith, M. Smith, J. Bills, S. B. Huntington, J. M. D. Huntington, E. A. Maron. A. E. A. Lodge was then opened in due form, the minutes of the preceding meeting read, and adopted, and L. D. Mafon, R. Colman, & E. Higbee were duly initiated E. A. Maron. The lodge called to refreshment until 1 o'clock P. M.

1 o'clock, P. M.

Lodge called to labor. Present as before. No further business appearing in this degree - a F. C. Lodge was opened, and proceeded to ballot for Mr. Smith, S. H. Smith, & B. Knight, the ballot found clear, and they thereupon duly passed to the degree of F. C. Maron. No further business appearing in this degree the lodge opened on the third degree of masonry, and A. Lyman, & J. H. Maeser balloted for the ~~was raised~~ to the sublime degree of Master Mason. ~~and signed the by-laws~~ and the lodge called off until 2 o'clock, P. M.

2 o'clock, P. M.

Lodge called to labor. A. Lyman, and J. H. Maeser, were then duly raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason. The lodge then closed down to stand closed until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock, A. M.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

H. Smith
Master P. J.

Wednesday, April 13th, A.L. 5842, D. 1842.

Special Communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment.
Present - H. Smith, M.M. p.t.; N.R. Whitney, S.M. p.t.; L.N. Scott, J.M.; H. Clark, J. p.t.; J.C. Bennett, S.; S. Roper, J.;
Mr. Feltham, H. J. Sherwood, J. R. Smith, B. Young, Mr. Richards,
A. Lyman, & J. H. Moeder, number; C. Allen, S.D., & H. C. Kimball,
J.D.; Mr. Smith, & V. Knight, F.C. Marons; & L.D. Wapson, D.B.
Huntington, M.D. Huntington, John Bills, & R. Calhoun, C.A.
Marons. A C.A. Lodge was then opened in due form,
the minutes of the preceding meeting read & adopted, &
C. Robinson, J.B. Backenstos, & J.M. Stiles, were duly
entered C.A. Marons. No further business appearing in this
degree, the lodge called off from labor to refreshment until
1 o'clock, P.M.

1 o'clock, P.M.

Lodge called to labor. Present as before. No
further business appearing in this degree, the F.C.
Lodge was opened and proceeded to ballot for L.D.
Wapson, D.B. Huntington, & M.D. Huntington, the ballot
was found clear, & they thereupon duly professed to the
second degree of masonry. No further business
appearing in this degree, a Master's Lodge was
opened and proceeded to ballot for J. H. Smith,
Mr. Smith, & V. Knight, & the ballot found clear.
The lodge called off for refreshment until 2 o'clock
P.M.

2 o'clock, P.M.

Lodge called to labor. Present as before, & D. Hibbs,
J. H. Smith, Mr. Smith, & V. Knight, were raised to the sublime
degree of Master Maron. No further business appearing
in this degree the several lodges closed doors, to stand
closed until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyrum Smith
Master D.D.

Thursday, April 14th, A. D. 1892, D. 1892.

8 o'clock, A. M. -

Special communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - W. Smith, W. M. p. t.; W. J. Sherwood, S. M. p. t.; L. N. Scoville, J. M.; A. Perry, J. p. t.; J. C. Bennett, C.; C. Allen, S. D.; Mr. Fellsman, J. D. p. t.; S. Ridge, J.; Joseph Smith, A. Lyman, W. Clark, members; L. D. Mason, Mr. D. Huntington, D. B. Huntington, J. C. Mains; J. Bills, E. A. Mearns. C. Williams - member. A. C. A. Lodge was then opened in due form, and D. C. Davis, Mr. S. Cahoon, & Jos. Newbury, were duly initiated C. A. Mearns. No further business appearing in this degree, a F. C. Lodge was opened for the transaction of business, and J. Bills, C. Higbee, & R. Cahoon, balloted for for the second degree of masonry, the ballot found clear, and they, thereupon, duly passed to the degree of F. C. Mearns. No further business appearing in this degree, the F. C. Lodge was dispensed with, and a Master's Lodge opened in stead thereof. Lodge called for labor to refreshment until 6 o'clock, P. M.

6 o'clock, P. M.

Lodge called to labor. Present as before, & A. Hulit, W. Rogers, (Master of Brady Lodge,) visiting brethren. L. D. Mason, D. B. Huntington, & Mr. D. Huntington, were then balloted for, ballot found clear, and they, thereupon, raised to the sublime degree of Master Mearns. No further business appearing in this degree, the several lodges closed down to stand closed until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

W. Smith
Master P. D.

Friday, April 15th, A. L. 5882, A. 1882.

10 o'clock, A. M.

Special meeting. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - H. Smith, M. M. p. t.; H. J. Sherwood, S. M. p. t.; L. N. Choil, J. W.; H. Clark, S. p. t.; J. C. Bennett, S.; C. Allen, S. S.; Mr. Talham, J. D. p. t.; S. Roper, S.; S. D. Mafun, F. W. Moeser, D. B. Huntington, W. D. Huntington, A. Lyman, C. Williams, members; John Bills, F. C. Maron; D. C. Davis, Wm. J. Cahoon, E. A. Maron. The C. A. Lodge was then opened for the transaction of business, & Milton Lee, Aaron Johnson, & Justus Hills, were duly initiated into the first degree of masonry. No further business appearing in this degree the lodge called off for refreshment until 10 o'clock, A. M.

1 o'clock, P. M.

Lodge called to labor. Present as before. No further business appearing in this degree, it was dispensed with and a F. C. Lodge opened in stead thereof. Mr. F. Cahoon & D. C. Davis were then balloted for, the ballot found clear, and they thereupon duly passed to the second degree of masonry. No further business appearing in this degree, a masters' lodge was opened, as John Bills, E. Higbee, & R. Cahoon balloted for for the 3rd degree. The lodge ^{called} to refreshment until 1 o'clock, P. M.

4 o'clock, P. M.

Lodge called to labor. Present as before. John Bills, E. Higbee, & R. Cahoon, were then raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason. No further business appearing the several lodges closed down in due form, to stand closed until 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyrum Smith
Master P. D.

Saturday, April 16th, A.D. 5842, A. 1842.

Special communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - W. Smith, M. M. p. t.; W. J. Sherwood, S. M. p. t.; L. N. Scovil, J. M.; W. Clark, S. p. t.; J. C. Bennett, S.; C. Allen, S. D.; Mr. Felkner, J. S. p. t.; S. Ridge, S.; J. W. Moerer, J. Arvola, S. B. Huntington, Wm. Smith, & Daniel L. Miles, members; Aaron Johnson, & J. Hills, C. A. Marons. The C. A. Lodge was then opened in due form, for the dignities of business, and C. C. Rice, J. M. Robinson, & Mr. Clayton, were duly initiated C. A. Marons. The lodge then called off for labor to refreshments until 10 o'clock, P. M.

10 o'clock P. M.

Lodge called to labor. Present as before. No further business appearing in this degree, the C. A. Lodge was disengaged with, and a J. C. Lodge opened in stead thereof. Milton Law, Aaron Johnson, & Justus Hills balloted for for the record degree of masonry, the ballot found clear, and they thereupon duly passed to the degree of J. C. Marons. No further business appearing in this degree the several lodges closed down to stand closed until Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyman Smith
Master P. J.

by giving one month's previous notice, at a stated meeting.

Hiram Smith
L. A. Scoil
John C. Bennett
A. K. Whitney
Charles Allen
Samuel Colpe
Wm. Felschaw
Hiram Clark
Asahel Perry
Heretich Peck
Josiah Arnold
Joshua Smith
Lyman Leonard
David Pettegrew
Christopher Williams
John Patten
Noah Rogers
Elijah Fordham
Samuel Henderson
Benjamin Brown
Stephen Chase
George Martape
Noble Rogers
Heber C. Kimball
Daniel S. Miles
Joseph Smith
Haney Keegan
H. E. Sherwood
William Marks
Arthur Morrison
William Clayton
John C. Kight
A. M. Law
John Eagle
Charles C. Rich
Hiram Higbee
John Pack
Jacob D. Miles

George Miller
Davira Hibara
James Cummings
Joseph Rose
Brigham Young
M. W. A. Richard
David St. Croix
Amasa Lyman
J. G. Wooser
Wm. Knight
Samuel H. Smith
Wm. Smith
Dunick B. Huntington
Lorenzo D. Watson
Wm. D. Huntington
Elias Nisbet
Reynolds Lakoon
Eustace Hills
Othman Johnson
G. W. Robinson
Theodore Forley
Wilson Law
Edwin D. Woolley
J. B. Stoddard
Duncan McArthur
M. W. A. Smith
Peter Hays
Simon. A. Green
Wm. D. Lakoon
J. L. F. Rollins
W. Miller
James Newberry
John A. Forges
Lace Carter
David H. Redfield
John Taylor
J. L. Brown
J. B. Packenstag

✓ S. Hanson Hipsley
 ✓ Thomas Good
 ✓ S. D. Parker
 ✓ J. D. Greene
 ✓ John Gaylord
 ✓ R. D. Foster
 ✓ E. Robinson
 ✓ J. M. Higbee
 ✓ Harvey Grant
 ✓ John Eldridge
 ✓ S. Breckinridge Roundy
 ✓ Noah Packard
 ✓ Alexander Badlam
 ✓ Leonard Boly
 ✓ Ezra Chan
 ✓ Graham Coltrien
 ✓ Charles Shumway
 ✓ Nathaniel Jennings
 ✓ Joseph C. Higginbotham
 ✓ Dad J. S. S. S.
 ✓ Charles Kennedy
 ✓ Amos P. Rogers
 ✓ John Anderson
 ✓ Eliza Everett
 ✓ Lewis D. Wilson
 ✓ Isaac Merley
 ✓ Reuben Hadlock
 ✓ Wm Weeks
 ✓ Chauncy Robinson
 ✓ Hosea Stout
 ✓ John F. Weld
 ✓ John S. Fulmer
 ✓ David Fulmer
 ✓ Charles Lewis
 ✓ Saml Bennett
 ✓ S. H. Goddard
 ✓ Jonathan H. Hale
 ✓ John Bair
 ✓ Geo M. Pittier

Erastus H. Derby
 John Murdoch
 A. P. Rockwood
 Geo W. Hatetun
 Plolander Cotton
 Wilford Woodruff
 Wm Huntington
 Ephraim Potter
 Joseph W. Coolidge
 J. Mills
 John Lytle
 James Bloom
 John B. M.
 William Wightman
 J. S. Miles
 Edward Martin
 Ransom Shepard
 Samuel Bent
 Daniel C. Davis
 Ezra T. Benson
 Geo. A. Smith
 J. L. Foyez
 Joseph B. Noble
 A. Miliken
 John Hideo
 Lucian Woodworth
 Aaron Smith
 Orson Pratt
 James Northington
 Geo. W. Crouse
 Calutiah Brown
 Cornelius P. Lot
 Loni Farn
 John Greenhow
 Joseph L. Robinson
 Lorenzo Roundy
 Hugh Heringshaw
 Edw. Thompson
 James M. Cummings

350 others not writing
 down on this list
 by J. Pratt
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Monday, April 18th, A.D. 5842, A. 1852.

Special communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment, at 8 o'clock, A.M. Present — C. Allen, W.M. p.t.; J. Ridge, S.M. p.t.; L. N. Deville, J.M.; H. Clark, S. p.t.; J. C. Bennett, S.; S. B. Huntington, S. S. p.t.; Mr. Delham, J. M. p.t.; A. Johnson, S. p.t.; John Dill, member; J. M. Robinson, & Mr. Clayton, C. S. Maroon. C. S. Moore, Duncan McArthur, & C. B. Stoddard, were then, on the giving an C. S. Lodge, duly initiated into the first degree of masonry. No further business appearing in this degree, the lodge called off from labor to refreshment until 1 o'clock, P.M. —

1 o'clock, P.M.

Lodge called to labor. Present as before. No further business appearing in this degree the C. S. Lodge was dispensed with, and a F. C. Lodge opened in stead thereof for the disputer of business, and C. B. Rice, J. M. Robinson, & William Clayton, balloted for, & the ballot found clear, and thereupon Geo. M. Robinson, & Mr. Clayton, were duly passed to the degree of F. C. Maroon. No further business appearing in this degree, the lodge called off from labor to refreshment until early candle-lighting.

7 o'clock, P.M.

Lodge called to labor. Present as before, & S. Hibbard, J. H. Moerer, A. Symon, & H. Smith. No further business appearing in this degree, the F. C. Lodge was dispensed with, & a Masters' Lodge opened in stead thereof. Wilson Law, Justus Hills, & Aaron Johnson, were then balloted for, the ballot found clear, and they thereupon duly raised to the sublime degree of Master Maroon. No further business appearing in this degree, the several lodges closed down to stand closed until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Charles Allen
Master W. S.

Tuesday, April 19th, A.D. 5842, A.D. 1842.

Special Communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment, at 9 o'clock, A.M. Present - W. Smith, M. M. p. t.; A. Perry, S. M. p. t.; L. N. Scott, J. M.; H. Clark, S. p. t.; J. C. Bennett, S.; C. Allen, S. D.; W. Felshaw, J. D.; C. Roper, S.; A. Lyman, J. Hills, & D. B. Huntington, members; Geo. W. Robinson, F. C. Mearns; & S. B. Stoddard, & D. McArthur, E. A. Mearns. An E. A. Lodge was the opened in due form, and Peter Hans, Warren Smith, and Lincoln A. Dunn, were initiated into the first degree of masonry. Lodge then opened on the second degree, & proceeded to ballot for E. D. Moody, S. B. Stoddard, & Lincoln McArthur, the ballot was found clear, and they, thereupon, duly passed to the degree of F. C. Mearns. Lodge closed off from labor to refreshment until 7 o'clock, P.M.

7 o'clock, P.M.

Lodge met pursuant & called to labor. Present as before, & S. Rigdon, C. Higbee, J. W. Moeren, & John Smith. No further business appearing in this degree, the F. C. Lodge was dispensed with, and a Master Mearns' Lodge opened in stead thereof for the transaction of business. Geo. W. Robinson, Herdner Turley, & Wm. Clayton were the balloters for, and the ballot found clear, and hence Mr. Robinson, & Herdner Turley, thereupon raised to the sublime degree of Master Mearns. No further business appearing in this degree, the second lodge closed down in due form, to stand closed until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.



Hyrum Smith
Master P. T.

Wednesday, April 20th, A.D. 1882, A.D. 1882.

Special Communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment, at 9 o'clock, A.M. Present - Hyrum Smith, M.M. p. t.; H. J. Sherwood, V.M. p. t.; E. N. Skovik, J.M.; H. Clark, J. p. t.; J. C. Bennett, S.; C. Allen, S.D.; M. Feldman, J.D.; S. Roper, S.; Mr. Smith, member; E. D. Wooley, F.C. Baron; P. Hays, J. Marner Smith, E. A. Baron. In E. A. Lodge was then opened in due form for the transaction of business, & after reading of the minutes of the preceding meeting, A. Morrison was duly entered into the first degree of masonry. No further business appearing in this degree, the E. A. Lodge was dispersed with and a F.C. Lodge was then opened in due form, and Marner Smith, Simon A. Dunn, and Peter Hays, were duly balloted for, the ballot found clear, and they thereupon duly passed to the degree of F.C. The F.C. Lodge was then dispersed with, & an E. A. Lodge opened in stead thereof, & Mr. Hays, & Eugene C. Johnson, duly received as entered apprentice masons. No further business appearing in this degree the lodge called off for labor to reassemble until 6 o'clock P.M.

6 o'clock, P.M.

Lodge called to labor. Present as before. No further business appearing in this degree, a F.C. Lodge was opened in due form as no further business appearing in this degree, it was dispersed with, & a Master Maroon's Lodge opened in stead thereof for the transaction of business. S. B. Stoddard, E. D. Wooley, & Duncan McArthur, were then balloted for, the ballot found clear, and they thereupon duly raised to the sublime degree of Master Maroon. & signed the by-laws. The several lodges then closed down in due form, to stand closed until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyrum Smith
Master P. J.

Thursday, April 21st, A. S. 5882, A. 1882.

Special communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment at 9 o'clock A.M. Present - H. Smith, M. N. J. T.; A. Perry, S. M. J. T.; L. N. Sevil, J. M.; H. Clark, S. J. T.; J. C. Bennett, S.; C. Allen, S. D.; Mr. Felham, J. D. J. T.; S. Ridge, S.; S. Rigdon, S. B. Stradford, J. D. McArthur, members; P. Hand, J. A. Dunn, J. C. Mains, A. Morrison, J. M. Marks, E. A. Mearns. The E. A. Lodge was then opened in due form, the minutes of the preceding meeting read, J. James H. Collins, initiated into the first degree of masonry. The E. A. Lodge was then dispensed with, & a I. C. Lodge opened in stead thereof. Mr. Marks, A. Morrison, and Lyman E. Johnson, were then balloted for, the ballot found clear, and A. Morrison, J. M. Marks, thereupon, duly passed to the degree of I. C. No further business appearing in this degree the I. C. Lodge called off for labor to reassemble until 1 o'clock, P.M.

1 o'clock, P.M.

Lodge called to labor. Present as before. No further business appearing in this degree, it was dispensed with, and a Master's Lodge opened in stead thereof for the transaction of business. J. Peter Hand, Warren Smith, J. Lincoln A. Dunn, were balloted for, the ballot found clear, and they, thereupon duly raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason. No further business appearing in this degree the Lodge closed down to stand closed until the Regular communication at 6 o'clock, P.M., of this day.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyrum Sonette
Master P. J.

Thursday, April 21st, A. D. 5892, A. 1842.

6 o'clock, P. M.

Regular Communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - H. Smith, W. M. p. t.; V. Roper, S. M. p. t.; L. N. Scovil, J. M.; Joshua Smith, J. p. t.; J. C. Bennett, S.; C. Allen, S. D.; Mr. T. Chas. J. D. p. t.; D. B. Huntington, J.; Mr. Baranndall, L. Leonard, D. Pettigrew, C. Williams, John Patten, S. Chase, G. Montague, J. Cummings, R. Cahoar, J. Mills, S. B. Stoddard, C. Higbee, L. A. Dunn, John Bills, J. H. Maerer, B. Young, newbs; J. Hulitt, visiting both; Mr. Marks, S. L. Marv. An C. A. Lodge was then opened in due form for the transaction of business. The petitions of John Taylor, Wilford Woodruff, John E. Page, Henry Miller, William Larr, Jared Caster, Benjamin Covey, A. Ripley, R. D. Foster, John Eagle, Thomas Grover, C. L. Brown, C. Benson, John Fayland, John Pack, Joel S. Miles, Hiram Kimball, John Murdock, John A. Forges, A. P. Rockwood, David H. Redfield, and John P. Green, after the presentation of petitions, were reported favorably upon, and the lodge proceeded to the ballot. on their cases severally, the ballot was found clear in each and every case, and John E. Page, & John A. Forges, thereupon duly initiated C. A. Marv. The following named persons, next after the reading of the minutes of the preceding meeting, offered themselves as candidates for the honor of masonry; to wit: Ephraim Patten, George W. Thatcher, Ebenezer Robinson, Philander Colton, Henry Green, Ezra Chase, Mr. Huntington, V. Roundy, Charles Chumway, John Eldridge, Noah Packard, Joseph W. Coledge, John Lytle, F. M. Higbee, Ira S. Miles, A. Baalam, Alexander Mills, James Hoar, ^{E. H. Derby,} Leonard Loby, Graham Coltrin ^{Hamilton 1st,} Philo Dibble, R. Sheppard, Mr. Wrightman, David Martin, ^{Hamilton 2nd,} George A. Smith, & Nathaniel Jennings, and their petitions were referred to the committee of investigation to report thereon at the next stated meeting. No further business appearing in this degree, the lodge closed to stand closed until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hymn Smith
Master P. S.

Friday, April 22nd, A. L. 5882, A. 1892.

8 o'clock, A. M.

Special Communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - W. Smith, M. M. p. t. presiding, assisted by Geo. Miller, M. M.; J. Roper, S. M. p. t.; L. N. Scott, J. M.; H. Clark, J. p. t.; J. C. Bennett, S.; C. Allen, S. D.; W. Gelman, J. D. p. t.; L. B. Huntington, J. p. t.; J. M. Robinson, A. Perry, J. Hills, W. J. Sherman, John Smith, John Patten, S. Chaves, & Warrick Smith, members. A. C. A. Lodge was the guest in due form, and J. Caster, John Taylor, & Henry Miller, were duly initiated into the first degree of masonry. No further business appearing in this degree, it was dispensed with, and a F. C. Lodge opened in stead thereof for the transactions of business, & John C. Roper, James H. Rawlings, & John A. Jones were balloted for the ballot found clear, and John C. Roper, & James H. Rawlings, thereupon duly raised to the degree of F. C. The lodge then called off until 7 o'clock, P. M.

7 o'clock, P. M.

Lodge called to labor. No further business appearing in this degree, it was dispensed with, and a Master's Lodge opened in stead thereof, and Mr. Maish, A. Morrison, & Mr. A. Cahoon, balloted for the ballot found clear, and they thereupon duly raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason. No further business appearing in this degree, the several lodges were closed down to stand closed until to-morrow evening at 6 o'clock.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyrum Smith
Master P. J.

Saturday, April 23rd, A.D. 1842, D. 1842.
6 o'clock, P.M.

Lodge met pursuant to adjournment - Special
communication. Present - W. Smith, W.M. p.t.; S. Rolfe,
S.M. p.t.; L. H. Seovil, J.M.; W. Clark, J. p.t.; W.
C. Bennett, S.; C. Allen, S.D.; W. Fierman, J.D. p.t.; S.B.
Stoddard, James Cunnins, J. Hills, L. Leonard, S. McArthur,
J. H. Maerer, W. Smith, S. Chase, Mr. A. Caborn, H. J. Sher-
wood, A. Arnold, Geo. Montague, J. M. D. Huntington, waited;
S. B. Huntington, J. p.t. The several lodges were then opened
up in due form, and John B. Page, J. James H. Rawlings,
were the balloted for, the ballot found clear, and John
B. Page, James H. Rawlings, and William Clayton, they were
duly raised to the sublime degree of Master Masons.
The several lodges then closed down in due form to stand
closed until Monday morning at 8 o'clock precisely.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyrum Smith
Master P. T.

Monday, April 25th, A.L. 5892, A. 1882.

8 o'clock, A.M.

Special Communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - H. Smith, M.M. Jr. t.; S. Ridge, S.M. Jr. t.; L.N. Scoville, J.M.; A. Perry, J. Jr. t.; J. C. Bennett, t.; C. Allen, t. D.; Mr. Felcham, J. D. Jr. t.; D. D. Huntington, J. Jr. t.; C. D. Woolly, H. Clark, we-bud. A C. A. Lodge was then opened in due form, and John Eagle, Mr. Linn, & Lyman Wright, were regularly initiated into the first degree of masonry. No further business appearing in this degree the C. A. Lodge was dispensed with, & a F. & A. M. Lodge opened in stead thereof. Henry McMiller, James Newbury, and John A. Jones, were balloted for, the ballot found clear, and they, thereupon, duly passed to the second degree of masonry. No further business appearing in this degree, the lodge called off from labor to refreshment until 10 o'clock P.M.

10 o'clock, P.M.

Lodge called to labor. No further business appearing in this degree, the F. & A. M. Lodge was dispensed with, and a Master Masons' Lodge opened in stead thereof. D. C. Davis was then balloted for, the ballot found clear, and he thereupon duly raised to the sublime degree of a Master Mason. The several lodges then closed down, to stand closed until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyman Smith
Master P. J.

Tuesday, April 26 to, A.D. 1882, A. 1892.
P.O'clock, A.M.

Special communications. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - H. Smith, M. M. p. t.; V. Rode, S. M. p. t.; L. N. Scoville, J. M.; A. Perry, J. p. t.; J. C. Bennett, S.; C. Allen, S. D.; Mr. Selkman, J. D. p. t.; D. B. Huntington, J. p. t.; H. Clark, Wm. Gursley, Mr. Clayton, & James H. Rawlings, members. The C. A. Lodge was then opened in due form, and Benjamin Gore, Milford Woodruff, & C. L. Brown, were duly initiated C. A. Masters. No further business appearing in this degree the C. A. Lodge was dispensed with, and a J. C. Lodge opened in stead thereof, and Mr. Saw, John Cogler, & J. Carter, balloted for, the ballot found clear, and they thereupon duly passed to the second degree of masonry. No further business appearing in this degree, the J. C. Lodge was dispensed with, and a Master Masons' Lodge opened in stead thereof. Lodge called off until 6 o'clock.
6 o'clock, P.M.

Lodge called to labor. The ballot was passed for Henry Miller, John A. Jones, & James Newbury - found clear, and they thereupon raised to the sublime degree of master mason. No further business appearing in this degree, the several lodges closed down to stand closed until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyrum Smith
Master P. S.

Wednesday, April 27th, A.D. 5892, L. 1892.

Twelve o'clock, A.M.

Special Communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - Hyrum Smith, W.M. p.t.; V. Roper, S.M. p.t.; L. N. Scott, J.W.; H. Clark, J.p.t.; J. C. Bennett, S.; C. Allen, S.D.; Mr. Jackson, J. S.p.t.; S. B. Huntington, J.p.t.; Henry M. Miller, J. Miller, Mr. Richard, J. M. Robinson, S. McArthur, J. A. Jones, members. An C. A. Lodge was the guest in due form, the minutes of the preceding meeting read, & adopted, and H. Kimball, Joel S. Miles, & H. D. Redfield, duly initiated C. A. Marons. No further business appearing in this degree the lodge was dispersed with, and as J. C. Lodge opened in stead thereof for the transaction of business, and Lyman Wright, C. L. Brown, & C. C. Rice, were balloted for, the ballot found clear, and they thereupon duly passed to the degree of J. C. Marons. No further business appearing in this degree, the J. C. Lodge was dispersed with, and a Master's Lodge opened in stead thereof. Lodge called off until twelve o'clock, P.M. -

Twelve o'clock, P.M.

Lodge called to labor. The ballot was then passed for William Leav, John Eagle, and J. Carter, found clear, and they thereupon duly raised to the sublime degree of Master Maron. The several lodges then closed down to stand closed until twelve o'clock to-morrow morning.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyrum Smith
Master P. J.

Thursday, April 28th, A. L. 5882, L. 1882.
8 o'clock, A. M.

Special Communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - H. Smith, M. M. J. T.; C. Rogers, M. M. J. T.; L. N. Scott, J. M.; H. Clark, J. M. T.; J. C. Bennett, L.; C. Allen, C. S.; W. F. Clark, J. D. J. T.; D. B. Huntington, J. M. T.; J. A. Fox, member. An C. S. Lodge was then opened in due form, and H. Ryley, John Pack, and C. Brown, were duly initiated C. S. Masters. No further business appearing in this degree it was dispensed with, and a J. C. Lodge opened in stead thereof. W. Kimball, B. Covey, and Milford Woodruff, were the balloted for; the ballot found clear, and they thereupon duly passed to the degree of J. C. Masters. No further business appearing in this degree the J. C. Lodge was dispensed with & a Master Masters' Lodge opened in stead thereof. Lodge called off from labor to reassemble until 6 o'clock, P. M.

Lodge called to labor. Present as before, & R. Johnson, L. A. Dunn, M. Clayton, A. Johnson, J. Miller, M. M., J. Hills, W. B. Huntington, & W. F. Johnson. The ballot was passed for L. Wright, C. C. Rice, and C. L. Brown, found clear, and they thereupon duly raised to the sublime degree of Master Masters. No further business appearing in this degree, the several lodges closed down to stand closed until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyman Smith
Master P. T.

Friday, April 29th, A.L. 5842, A. 1872.
6 o'clock, A.M.

Special Communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - H. Smith, M.M. p. t.; H. Ridge, S. M. p. t.; L. N. Scovil, J. M.; H. Clark, J. p. t.; J. C. Bennett, S.; C. Allen, S. D.; Mr. Feltham, J. D. p. t.; D. B. Huntington, J. p. t.; Mr. A. Cahoon, H. J. Sherwood, J. H. A. Forbes, members. Bro. E. A. Lodge was then opened in due form, and Thomas Grover, A. P. Rockwood, and John P. Green, were duly initiated E. A. Marons. No further business appearing in this degree the E. A. Lodge was dispensed with, and as J. C. Lodge opened in stead thereof. John Taylor, H. D. Redfield, and J. B. Backus, were then balloted for the ballot found clear, and they thereupon duly passed to the second degree of masonry. No further business appearing in this degree the J. C. Lodge was dispensed with, & a Master Maron Lodge opened in stead thereof. Lodge rolled off from labor to refreshment until 6 o'clock, P.M.

6 o'clock, P.M.

Lodge called to labor. Wilfrid Woodruff, Benjamin Covey, & Hiram Kimball, were then balloted for, the ballot found clear, and they thereupon duly raised to the sublime degree of Master Maron. No further business appearing in this degree the several lodges closed down to stand closed until to-morrow morning at 6 o'clock.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hysun Smith
Master P. T.

Wednesday, April 30th, A. L. 5842, A. 1892.

8 o'clock, A. M.

Special Communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - W. Smith, M. M. J. T.; V. Rolfe, S. M. J. T.; L. N. Smith, J. M.; W. Clark, J. J. T.; J. C. Bennett, V.; C. Allen, S. S.; Wm. T. T. T.; J. B. Huntington, J. J. T.; George W. Robinson, V. Henderson, & John A. Long, members. An E. A. Lodge was then given in due form, and R. D. Foster, and John M. M. M., were duly initiated E. A. Masters. No further business appearing in this degree the E. A. Lodge was dispensed with, and a F. C. Lodge given in stead thereof. A. R. J. J., John V. M. M., and John P. P., were then balloted for the ballot found clear, and they thereupon duly passed to the degree of F. C. Masters. No further business appearing in this degree, the F. C. Lodge was dispensed with, and a Master Masters' Lodge given in stead thereof. Lodge called off from labor to re-assembly until 6 o'clock P. M.

6 o'clock, P. M.

Lodge called to labor. John Taylor, D. H. Redfield, and J. B. B. B., were then balloted for, the ballot found clear, and they thereupon raised to the sublime degree of Master Masters. No further business appearing in this degree the Lodge closed down to stand closed until Monday morning at 9 o'clock, A. M.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyman Smith
Master P. T.

Monday, May 3rd, A. S. 5882, B. 1842.

9 o'clock, A. M.

Special Communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present - H. Smith, M. M. Jr. t.; S. Rogers, S. M. Jr. t.; L. M. Davis, J. M.; H. Clark, S. Jr. t.; J. C. Bennett, S.; C. Allen, S. D.; Mr. Felton, J. S. Jr. t.; S. B. Huntington, S. Jr. t.; H. C. Kimball, J. S. Jr. t.; S. B. Lyman, new bas. A Fellow Crafts' Lodge was then opened in due form, and John P. Green, A. P. Rockwood, and Thomas Green, were the balloted for; the ballot found clear, and John P. Green, ^{and Thomas Green} were duly passed to the degree of a Fellow Craft Master. No further business appearing in this degree, the F. C. Lodge was dispensed with, & a Master Masons' Lodge opened in stead thereof. Lodge called off from labor to refreshment until 6 o'clock, P. M.

6 o'clock, P. M.

Lodge called to labor. A. Rigley, Joel S. Miles, and John Pack, were the balloted for; the ballot found clear, and John Pack, & Joel S. Miles, were duly raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason. No further business appearing in this degree, the several Lodges closed down to stand closed until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyman Smith
Master P. M.

Tuesday, May 3rd, A. D. 1842, B. 1842.

Special Communication. Lodge met pursuant to adjournment, at 8 o'clock, A. M. Present - H. Smith, M. M. p. t.; V. Roper, S. M. p. t.; L. N. Scott, J. M.; H. Clark, S. p. t.; J. C. Bennett, V.; C. Allen, S. D.; Wm. Feltman, J. D. p. t.; D. B. Huntington, S. p. t.; V. Chase, V. for C. Miles, number. A F. C. Lodge was then opened in due form and R. D. Foster, as John Murdoch, was then balloted for, the ballot found clear, and they, thereupon duly passed to the second degree of masonry. No further business appearing in this degree, the F. C. Lodge was discontinued with, and a Master Masons' Lodge opened in stead thereof. Lodge called off from labor to reassemblement until 6 o'clock, P. M. -

6 o'clock, P. M.

Lodge called to labor. John P. Green, as Thomas Green, was balloted for, the ballot found clear, and they, thereupon, Thomas Green, as H. Rigley, thereupon, duly raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason. No further business appearing in this degree, the several lodges closed down to stand closed until the next regular communication on Thursday evening next, at 6 o'clock, P. M.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyman Smith
Master P. D.

Thursday, May 5th, A.D. 1852, B. 1852.

Cordoba, P.M.

Regular Communication. Society met
pursuant to adjournment. Present - H. Smith,
W. M. J. T., S. Rye, S. M. J. T., S. N. Scovil, J. M., H.
Clark, S. J. T., J. C. Bennett, S., C. Allen, S. D., Wm.
Felham, J. D. J. T., S. B. Huntington, S. J. T., and
S. Rigdon, C. H. Wooley, R. Cahoon, Wm. Clayton, J.
Carter, L. Leonard, S. McArthur, C. Higby, Geo. Miller,
S. Pettigrew, S. C. David, H. Kimball, S. Johnson, S. Jordan,
H. Peck, Joel S. Miles, Wm. Law, Milner Law, W. Smith,
J. M. Robinson, John Taylor, J. H. Rawling, S. C. Hares,
John Patten, Wm. Marshall, C. L. Brown, Wm. C. S. A.
C. A. Dodge was then opened, and after reading the
minutes of the preceding meeting, petitions were
presented for the following persons for the bonds
of warranty, to wit: Henry Hogland, Stephen H. Burdick,
A. C. Lathrop, L. D. Wilson, John Anderson, Elisha
Everet, Jefferson Dierick, Joseph C. Ringbush,
Samuel L. Forgel, Amos P. Rogers, Arthur Milliken,
Charles Penney, David Lepion, Gilbert S.
Goldsmith, Joseph M. Johnson, Daniel Barnes, Anson
Matthews, Daniel A. Thomas, John F. Luce, L.
Woodworth, David A. Pettigrew, James Anderson,
George Babcock, A. Brown, Milner J. Carl, O. M.
Allen, Darwin Chase, John Fids, Wm. Weeks,
Samuel Williams, Isaac Alred, King Follett,
Jesse S. Hunter, John F. Olney, H. Johnson,
Amos B. Foulmer, David Elliott, Harlow Redfield,
W. P. Lyons, James Brown, W. Chapman, Aaron
M. York, Reuben Hadlock, Levi Nickerson, George P.
Sikes, Alvin Winegar, John Adams, David Grant,
Jonathan H. Dunham, Levi W. Hancock, John
Jackson, and John S. Fulmer, and referred to the
Committee of Investigation. The petitions of George
W. Thatcher, Ephraim Potter, Ebenezer Robinson,
Philander Colton, Henry Green, Ezra Chase,
Wm. Huntington, S. Roundy, Charles Spumway,
John Clariage, Noah Packard, Joseph W. Goodger,

John Lytle, F. M. Higbee, Ira V. Miles, A. Badlam,
Alexander Mills, James Hoar, Leonard Soby, Graham
Coltrin, Philo Dibble, R. Shepard, Wm. Wightman,
Edward Martin, George A. Smith, N. Jennings, E. H. Durby,
and Hamilton Jett, were then reported favorably upon,
balloted for, the ballot found clear, and Hamilton
Jett, F. M. Higbee, & E. H. Durby, initiated Entered
Apprentice Masons. No further business appearing the lodge
closed to stand closed until to-morrow at 6 o'clock, P. M.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyrum Smith
Master P. T.

Friday, May 6th, A. L. 5882, D. 1882.
6 o'clock, P. M.

Lodge met pursuant to adjournment. Present -
H. Smith, M. M. J. T.; A. Rogers, S. M. J. T.; L. N. Sevil, J. M.;
H. Clark, J. J. T.; J. C. Bennett, S.; G. Allen, S. D.; Wm.
Felton, J. D. J. T.; D. B. Huntington, J. J. T.; J. B. Robertson,
J. Carter, Geo. Robinson, Wm. Smith, & Elias Higbee, &
L. D. Mapes, members. A B. A. Lodge was there
opened in due form, but no business appearing in
this degree, it was dispensed with, & a F. & A. M. Lodge
opened in stead thereof. A. Meyer, Pacific, Mopashult,
& Moses Wade, Sanger, N. Y., & King, appeared as
visiting brethren. Chas. Robinson, E. H. Durby, & H. Jett,
were then balloted for, the ballot found clear, and
they thereupon duly passed to the second degree of
masonry. No further business appearing in this
degree, the several lodges closed down to stand
closed until Monday morning at 8 o'clock.

John C. Bennett,
Secretary.

Hyrum Smith
Master P. T.